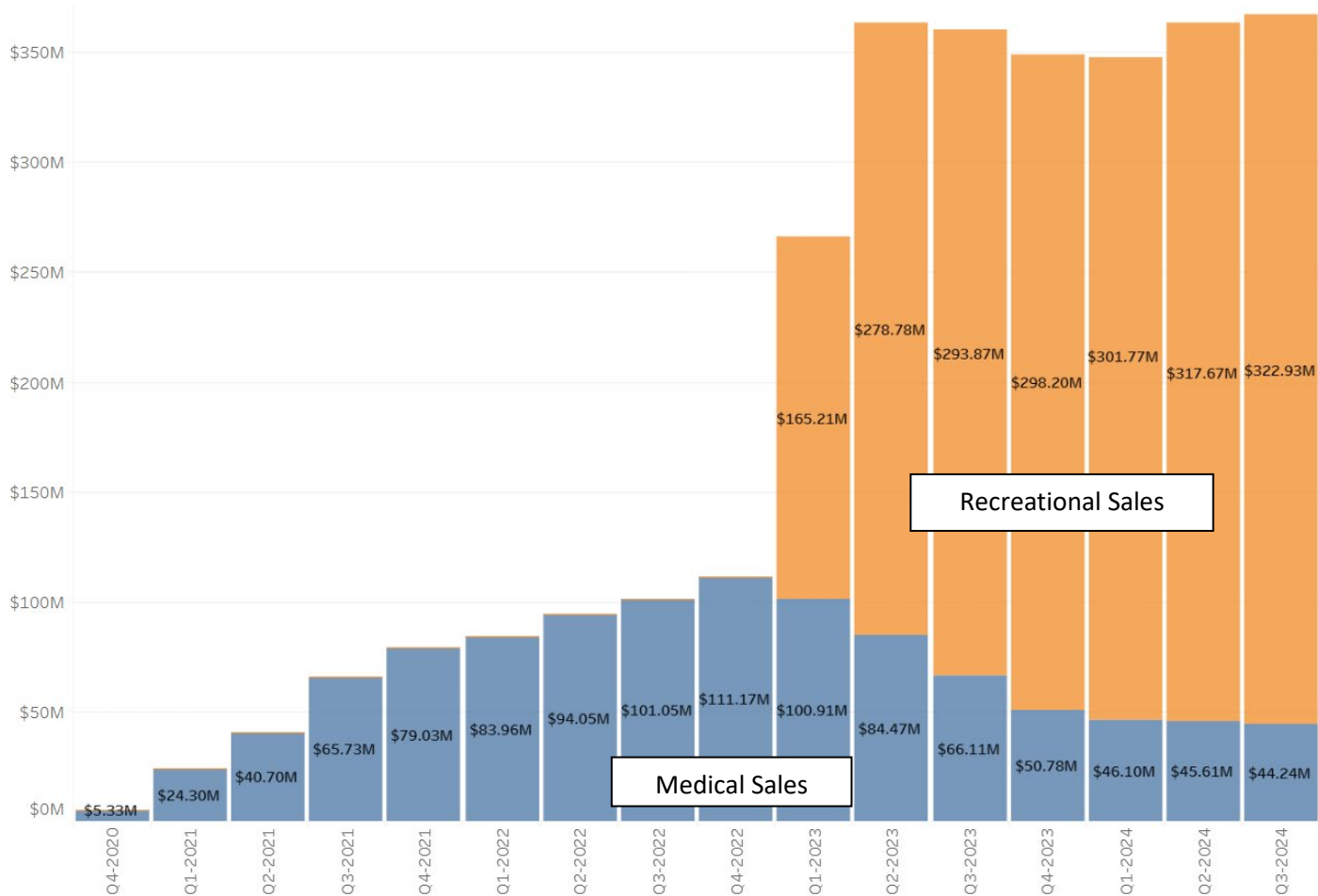


MARIJUANA DISPENSARY DENSITY IN MISSOURI

In 2018, medical cannabis use became legal in Missouri, and in 2022, recreational sales became legal. Medical cannabis sales decreased as recreational use was legalized. Since 2023, recreational sales have remained steady.

Monthly Sales (\$)

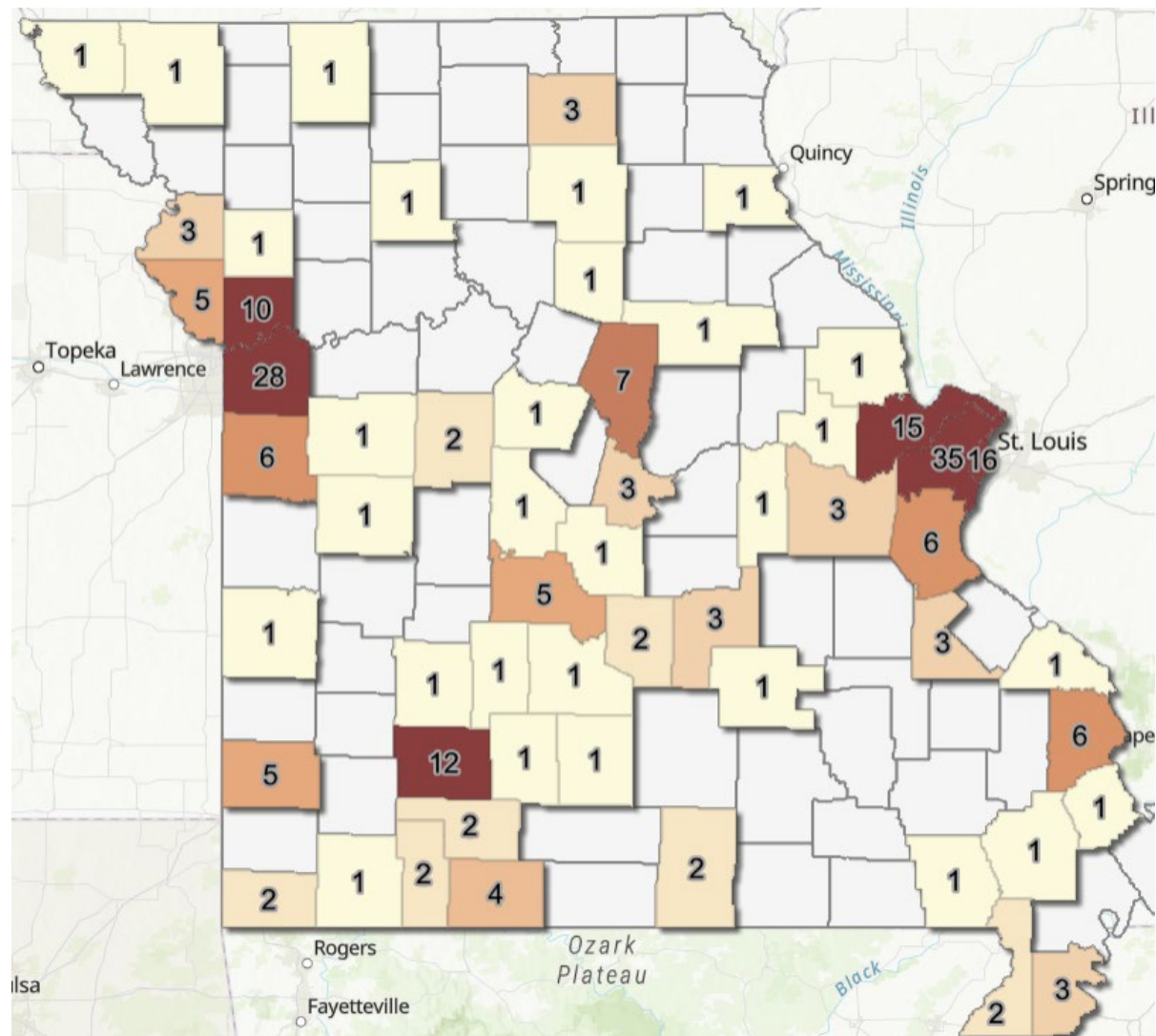


Source: Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, “Monthly Sales Dashboard”, 2024. The graph above was retrieved from [here](#). Access the link for more information about cannabis sales.

Because state law dictates only a set number of dispensary licenses may be issued, a lottery process is used to determine who may sell cannabis in Missouri. As part of the application process, each applicant must submit a voluntary plan to which describes how they might encourage participation in the cannabis industry in communities that “have been disproportionately impacted by marijuana prohibition”. Missouri law restricts the establishment of a cannabis dispensary within 1,000 feet of any existing elementary or

Since legalization, cannabis dispensaries began appearing across the state, primarily in the metropolitan areas of Missouri, including the Saint Louis, Kansas City, Springfield, and Columbia regions.

Cannabis Dispensaries by County



Atchison (1.9), Pemiscot (1.9), Harrison (1.2), Adair (1.2), and Camden (1.2) counties all have between one and two cannabis dispensaries per 10,000 residents.

This map displays precipitation anomalies for Missouri counties during the 2012-2013 season. The anomalies are quantified by the number of standard deviations from the long-term mean, with values ranging from 0.2 to 1.9. Darker shades of red indicate higher positive anomalies, while lighter shades of yellow indicate lower positive anomalies. The map includes labels for major cities (St. Louis, Springfield, Kansas City, Topeka, Lawrence, Rogers, Fayetteville, Jonesboro) and geographical features (Ozark Plateau, Illinois, Mississippi, Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland and Labrador, Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, Yukon, Northwest Territories, Nunavut).

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